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U.S. Patent No. 6,447,122 is a counterpart to JP 2000-180787, and U.S. Patent No. 6,335,838 is a counterpart to JP 2000-241751.

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